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OUTLINES.

The Weather Bureau reports cotton crop conditions generally favorable. —— Commander McCrea reports the blockade of Cape Haytien ineffective and practically abandoned. —— President Roosevelt will call the Senate in extraordinary session early in November. —— A white man and a negro, charged with the murder of a farmer, were taken from jail at Lexington, Mo., and hanged by masked men. —— The Venezuela revolutionists captured the town of Barcelona after a terrible battle; women and children were maltreated and killed. —— Three masked men held up a stage near Mazatlan, Mex., killed the driver and carried off $4,000. —— Explosion of gasoline in a drug store at Princeton, Ky., fatally injured Dr. W. E. Terry and started a fire that caused $100,000 damage. —— Armour plant at Memphis burned; loss about $115,000. —— Near Fort Smith, Ark., Manz Huggins killed his wife and committed suicide. —— Two policemen were killed in a fight with a band of thugs in Chicago. —— The biennial convention of the Knights of Pythias convened yesterday in San Francisco. —— Eight thousand Elks, representing every State in the Union, are in attendance at the meeting of the Grand Lodge at Salt Lake City. —— Bishop O'Gorman arrived yesterday at New York from Rome with a letter and a present from the Pope for President Roosevelt. —— Prince Chen visited New York city, and was formally welcomed by the acting mayor. —— The Shipbuilding Trust has been completed and the business of the organization will begin at once. —— N. Y. markets: Money on call was steady at 3@3½ per cent.; cotton easy at 9c; flour—unsettled and barely steady; wheat—spot firm, No. 2 red, 73c; oats—spot unsettled, No. 2, 60c; corn—spot firm, No. 2 63½c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine steady at 47@47½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 12

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 76 degrees; 8 P. M., 77 degrees; maximum, 83 degrees; minimum, 73 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 1.50.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN

Fair weather, with somewhat lower temperature has prevailed in the western sections. Local rains have fallen in the eastern districts.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Aug 12.—For North Carolina—Fair Wednesday and Thursday; light to fresh east winds.

Port Almanac--August 13,

Sun Rises	5.16 A. M.
Sun Sets	6.52 P. M.
Day's Length	13 H. 57 M.
High Water at Southport	3.13 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	5.43 A. M.

A convicted Virginia murderer refused to let his lawyer take an appeal. He probably preferred suspension to protracted suspense.

In 1880 Florida had 45 newspapers and periodicals; in 1890, 122, and in 1900, 161. A pretty good State for sprouting newspapers, &c.

John D. Rockefeller, who was quite bald some time ago, now has a fine crop of hair. We have heard it said that kerosene oil is a good hair fertilizer.

Some tribes of black men in Australia don't have any trouble with their mothers-in-law. They don't let them live within a mile of their married daughters' shack.

The New York *Sun* announces that "the Pacific cable is in sight." But, paradoxical as it may appear, when it becomes an accomplished fact it will be out of sight.

British Columbia is proud of producing apples sixteen inches in circumference. We have seen apples larger than that grown in the Western part of this State, and the growers were not doing much crowing over it.

Flies in the Philippines are accused of spreading the cholera, and war has been inaugurated against them. The probabilities are that as a disease purveyor the mosquito can't hold a candle to the hustling fly.

Wu Ting-fang says he will write about everything in his contemplated book on this country. We venture the remark that he will make a very brief allusion, if any, to that queue-pulling incident in that Georgia insane asylum.

Gen. Dodge, of Iowa, speaking of the water cure in the Philippines says it isn't a bad thing to take and has been very much misrepresented. He further remarks that such things were not noticed in our civil war. Perhaps not, for if there was any such thing as the water cure practiced in that war, no notice was ever made of it, and we dont't suppose anybody ever heard of it.

A. C. L. YARD CONDUCTOR MET A TRAGIC DEATH.

Capt. J Wm. LaMotte Run Over and Killed by a Train at Sumter, S. C, Yesterday Morning.

Friends in the city yesterday heard with much sorrow of the killing of Capt. J. William LaMotte, Atlantic Coast Line yard conductor at Sumter, S. C., and for many years a resident of this city.

Yesterday morning, while about his duties on the yards at Sumter and while attempting to climb between the tender of an engine and a moving train of freight cars, he lost his footing and fell to the track, nine of the cars passing over his body, mangling it terribly and causing death instantly.

Capt. LaMotte had been in the Coast Line service for 15 years and was a faithful and painstaking employe. For some time he ran as freight conductor between Wilmington and Florence and afterwards became yard conductor at the latter point, having been transferred from there to Sumter.

Deceased was a middle-aged man and married Miss Sallie Lane, of this city who with several children survive him. He also has a number of other relatives here, who heard of the shocking tragedy yesterday with much sorrow.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The August regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club fleet will be sailed Friday at Wrightsville. Boats will report at 4 P. M.

— License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Miss Annie Lou Smith and Mr. John Thomas Hill, both of Wilmington.

— The Coast Line carried 2,258 people into Savannah Monday on two sections of an excursion train from Dothan, Ala.

— One of the latest devices in a church casket truck is a recent addition to Yopp's undertaking establishment on Princess street.

— Florence *Times*: "It is reported that there will be a new schedule issued by the Coast Line very soon and that there will be some very material changes made in it."

— A burglar attempted to break into the residence of Mrs. Ida Orrell, 609 South Second street, Monday night about 11 o'clock, but the intruder was frightened off before anything was stolen.

— Weldon Henley, once pitcher for the Wilmington baseball team and this year with Atlanta in the Southern League, will finish with the New York Nationals. Ruehr, for whom Wilmington was negotiating this season, has been signed by Atlanta.

— Trunk No. 25, belonging to Supt. Brinson, of the Odd Fellows' Orphanage, was misplaced yesterday upon the arrival of the children from Goldsboro. Any one finding the trunk will please send to residence of Mr. N. F. Parker, Seventh and Market

— Rooms have been engaged for the headquarters of Hon. John D. Bellamy, during the convention campaign, at the Hotel LaFayette in Fayetteville. His friends are cordially invited to call at any time from the evening of the 18th until the close of the convention.

Excursion From Darlington.

An engine and six coaches packed with people made up the Florence and Darlington excursion, which spent yesterday in the city and at the beaches, returning last night at 9:45 o'clock. A. L. Dantzler, of Darlington, was general manager of the excursion, with Messrs. A. E. Dargan and H. H. Garner assistants.

Change of Steamer Schedule.

On and after to-morrow the 3:45 P. M. trips of the steamer Wilmington to Carolina Beach during week days and the 12:30 trips from the beach to the city on week days and the 12 o'clock trips from Southport to Wilmington except Sunday will be discontinued. Persons who have schedules posted will please note the change.

By Moonlight To-Night.

A most delightful treat is in store for all who are guests of the N. N. S. Society on its excursion 15 miles up the river on the steamer *Wilmington* to-night, leaving the city at 8 P. M. The scenery by moonlight will be lovely and the 30-mile trip costs only 20 cents. There will be refreshments on the steamer and the public has a most cordial welcome.

National Bank Building.

Very handsome and all modern fixtures for the Murchison National Bank are being placed in order in the new banking house. They are easily the prettiest in the city and are convenient and ornamental. The desks and wood work are of natural oak and the metallic fixtures are of brass. The STAR learns that every office apartment in the handsome new building has been rented.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Clyde Line—Sailing days.
J. W. Plummer—Fancy fruit.
Carolina Yacht Club—Regatta.
N. N. S. Society—Moonlight ride.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Murchison bank building on Chesnut street. Services this evening at 8 o'clock.

THE COURT RECORD.

Yesterday's Sessions Were Entirely Devoid of Cases of Any Great Interest.

J. F. TOLAR NOT GUILTY.

Acquitted of Charge Preferred by Street Railway Co.--Two Negroes Sentenced to Terms on the County Roads. Term May Close To-day.

No cases of very great importance were heard in the Superior Court yesterday and at 5:45 o'clock a recess was taken until 10 A. M. to-day.

Perhaps the most important case of the day was that of State vs. Jno. F. Tolar, in which the defendant was charged with disorderly conduct on a street car to the extent of being a nuisance. Mr. Tolar was acquitted, the jury remaining out only a short time and bringing in a verdict of not guilty. The defendant was represented by A. J. Marshall, Esq., and Solicitor Duffy was assisted in the prosecution by Thos. W. Davis, Esq.

The jury which had the case in hearing was as follows: I. West, Sam'l Brewer, W. A. McLeod, D S. Bender, J. H. Ruark, J. H. Holton, J. M. King, Robt. Hines, J. J. Williams, J. C. Kelly, W. H. Penny and J. D. H. Klander.

Mr. Tolar introduced no evidence in his own behalf, the acquittal having been upon the testimony of the State's witnesses.

The last case during the day was that of State vs. John Winders, in which the charge was "stock running at large" upon the lands of Mrs. Ida Cowan, near Castle Haynes. Mr. Winders was found not guilty. He was represented by Herbert McClammy, Esq., and L. V. Grady, Esq., assisted the solicitor in the prosecution.

Robert H. Willis, colored, was found guilty in two cases, each for carrying concealed weapons and assault with deadly weapon. He was represented by Herbert McClammy, Esq., who upon his conviction made a motion for an arrest of judgment, but the motion was denied and an appeal taken to the Supreme Court. Later, the appeal was withdrawn and in the first case, in which there was a recommendation to the mercy of the court, Willis was fined $5 and required to pay costs. In the second case a fine of $15 and costs were imposed.

York Pierce, the negro who systematically stole ice cream buckets from A. Mavronichols, was given 6 months on the roads and Louis Lavender, for the larceny of a quantity of canvas, was sent to the roads for a year.

Hardy Miller, colored, tried on the first day of court, was given 6 months in the county jail, with privilege to the County Commissioners to hire out to pay costs.

The docket may be cleared this afternoon, but it is hardly probable, and the term may not adjourn until Thursday or Friday.

True bills were found by the grand jury during the day in the following cases: Robt. H. Willis, assault with deadly weapon; Arthur Moore and Louis Howard, assault with deadly weapon; John F. Toler, nuisance; Bill Moore, larceny; James Spencer, assault with deadly weapon and carrying concealed weapons: James W. Smith, assault with deadly weapon; Ben Richardson, assault with deadly weapon:

The following talesmen were ordered summoned for the session to day which convenes at 10 o'clock: Chas. M. Butler, M. E. Guy, John A. Yopp, Jas. A. Kerr, J. R. Bear, W. L. Beery, J. K. Westbrook, T. A. Wortham, Jno. S. Singletary, W. J. Morris, Thos. Gladen, A. Robertson, H. A. DeCover, Ellis E. Fulcher, W. F. Kerr and A. Lockamy.

The Mayor's Class Yesterday.

It was another unusually large and dejected group of offenders that greeted Mayor pro tem. Cooper in the police court yesterday, the several excursions to the city having swelled the number to some extent. The excursionists were welcomed, but each was fined $5, including costs, for his offence. The other cases of importance were as follows: Kate Davis, 20 days on roads for disorderly conduct; Wm. Thomas, 30 days on roads for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, and 30 days additional for resisting Policeman Leon George; Wm. Hawkins, 15 days for disorderly conduct, and Henry Williams, 30 days for being drunk and disorderly. In five other cases the fines ranged from $5 to $10, including costs.

Have Handsome Offices.

Capt. J. W. Plummer, the enterprising manager here for Fleischmann & Co., the well known yeast manufacturers, has fitted up a nice office at No. 209 Princess street, which was formerly occupied by the late Dr. W. W. Harriss. The walls are handsomely papered and the room furnished with desks, tables and other necessary appurtenances to conducting the large business which the company enjoys in this city.

Meeting of Presbytery.

At a called session of Wilmington Presbytery in the First Presbyterian church, this city, Monday afternoon, Mr. William A. Hill, son of Mrs. Ella K. Hill, of Wilmington, was received as a candidate for the ministry under the care of the Presbytery and matters pertaining to the Clarkton and Falson academies were discussed. Rev. J. M. Wells, Ph.D. presided.

EXCITED SURF BATHERS AT WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH.

Pandemonium Reigned When Two Ladies Had Narrow Escape from Drowning—Prompt Rescue

A number of ladies and children were bathing in front of the Seashore Hotel about 11 o'clock yesterday morning, among them being Mrs. L. Buethenthal and Miss Rheinstein, of Wilmington.

Suddenly shouts were sent up from along the beach front and it was seen that the two ladies, although said to be good swimmers, had evidently gotten beyond their depth, and could make no progress against a strong under-tow running out. A number of the ladies became excited and pandemonium reigned for a while, but Messrs Richard Dunn, J. E. Russ, Tom Rowell and a colored man, Geo. Ellerbee, who attends to the bath house, rushed out and soon got those in danger to land, with the assistance of a life preserver and line.

The results might have been serious but for the timely action of those who went to the rescue.

A SHAFT AT FORT FISHER.

Memorial to Dead Soldiers of Company D, First N. C. Heavy Artillery—Contributions Are Wanted.

[Communicated.]

During the severe battle at Fort Fisher, Jan. 15th, 1865 Co. D., First N. C. Heavy Artillery, commanded by Capt. James L. McCormick, occupied the earth works on the extreme left of the Fort. The company was in line from the gate of the Fort to the edge of the river. Just on the right of Co. D. was the company of Capt. Brady. It was these two companies, which were fiercely assaulted by the infantry forces of Gen. Terry as they entered the Fort. The following is at least an approximation of the number who were killed in Co. D. Capt. James L. McCormick, Sergeant Geo. T. Wilson, Daniel B. Brown, Wm. J. Carr, Richard A. Evans, Wm. T. Martin, Edward Malloy, Nathaniel McGougan, Albert Sellars, McNeill Laughlin, D. McPhaul, W. E. Street, Daniel James West. All these were brave and gallant men who 37 years ago fell at Fort Fisher in defence of the city of Wilmington and the State of North Carolina.

They are by no manner of means all of the brave men who were killed at Fort Fisher, but their names are now mentioned simply from the fact that two of their surviving comrades, Mr. Henry McQueen, of the Murchison National Bank, and Rev. J. A. Smith have started a movement to erect a suitable shaft upon the spot where they fell. Their names are to be inscribed upon this tablet so that their brave deeds may be recorded and their names honored by their fellow men. The example of Messrs. McQueen and Smith will be undoubtedly followed by the officers and men of other commands whose comrades were killed in the memorable fight of June 15, 1865. Fort Fisher is owned by private parties, whose agent in Wilmington will allow this shaft to be placed upon the old battle field.

Citizens of New Hanover, Duplin, Pender, Sampson, Robeson and Richmond counties are earnestly requested to aid in this laudable undertaking.

Mr. Henry McQueen, president of the Murchison Bank, will receive all money donated for this object. We hope the business men of Wilmington and the adjacent section as they pass into the bank will hand Mr. McQueen contributions for this laudable purpose. Let us not forget to honor the brave men who fought for Southern rights beneath the Stars and Bars.

AN ALDERMAN AND A HATCHET.

The Story of Free Ice Signs or How the Box Was Filled.

Hatchet in hand and determination written upon every feature, Alderman E. F. Johnson, chairman of the Streets and Wharves Committee, yesterday marched upon the two picturesque signs on each side of the public drinking fountain at Front and Market streets, which innocently announce "free ice water" to the thirsty traveller, and razed them both to the ground.

Mr. Johnson says the signs proclaim an untruth to the public, for there has been no free ice there in several days, and he thought it wrong to fool the people longer. The signs came down.

The ice companies, which weeks ago agreed to furnish free ice for the fountain, say that the absence of ice in the box which cools the water going to the fountain, was due to a misunderstanding as to the days each company was to "come up" with its block of the frigid article. At any rate it looks like Alderman Johnson "with his little hatchet" has brought the companies to themselves, for close upon the wreck of the signs the Independent Ice Company deposited a big chunk in the box, which was a God-send to the hundreds of excursionists in the city.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

Deeds Filed for Official Record Yesterday at the Court House.

The following transfers of realty appear from deeds filed for record yesterday at the Court House:

Junius Davis and wife and Junius Davis, receiver of the Bank of New Hanover, to Walter Taft, lot on east side of Cape Fear river, 33 feet south of Market street, 98½x100 feet in size; consideration $1,500. The deed was to correct one of previous date.

W. M. Cumming and wife to James E. Smith, lot at northeast intersection of Tenth and Dawson streets, 132x165 feet in size; consideration $450.

New Hanover Delegation.

The delegates appointed to represent New Hanover county in the Congressional convention to be held at Fayetteville August 20th are requested to meet in the office of Hon. John D. Bellamy Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock for the purpose of organizing.

ORPHANS ARE HERE.

Children from Odd Fellows' Home at Goldsboro Arrived Yesterday Morning.

SOUTHPORT BOUND TO-DAY.

Graceful Act on Part of N. N. S. Society and Captain Harper—Trolley Party by Daughters of Rebekah—Entertainment Friday Night.

Fifty odd children of the Odd Fellows' Orphanage at Goldsboro, in charge of Superintendent J. F. Brinson, wife and two daughters, Misses Pearl and Hattie Brinson and Miss Lula McIntyre, matron of the institution, arrived in the city yesterday morning on the 10:10 A. M. train from the North and are guests of the loyal "wearers of the three links" in Wilmington on their annual outing to the seashore. The children were met at the station by members of the reception and entertainment committee and by many of those at whose homes the visitors are being entertained. The children were all bright after their delightful morning ride and received a most cordial welcome to the hospitable city of Wilmington.

It was originally intended that the children should go immediately through to Southportto become guests of Atlantic Lodge No. 145, of that town, but owing to the excursion down the river very early yesterday morning the trip had to be abandoned until 9 A. M. to-day.

The chief feature of entertainment yesterday was a trolley ride about the city and out to Delgado Mills in the afternoon, beginning at 4 o'clock. The affair was given by Letitia Lodge No. 3, Daughters of Rebekah, and was thoroughly enjoyed by hosts and guests alike.

Last night there was no special form of exercises for the children but they enjoyed a good night's rest and will be bright and fresh for the Southport trip to-day. They will be met at the steamer by a committee from Atlantic Lodge and will be shown every courtesy. To-night they will give an entertainment there and return to the city at 5 P. M. Thursday, leaving Southport at 2:30 P. M. and not at 12 o'clock as noted yesterday.

Last night Supt. Brinson visited Cape Fear Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F. and favored the lodge with an interesting talk on the conduct and management of the Home. His remarks were enjoyed greatly by the large number of members in attendance.

The entertainment by the children and volunteer talent will not be given in the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow night as at first intended but on Friday night, an altogether pleasing change in the programme having taken place as will appear from the following correspondence:

Mr. N. F. Parker, Chairman Reception and Entertainment Committee, Odd Fellows Orphans:

DEAR SIR:—With very great pleasure, in behalf of Capt. J. W. Harper and the N. N. S. Society, I hereby extend a cordial and pressing invitation to the orphans to participate in our moonlight excursion to "Magnolia Tree," on the steamer *Wilmington*, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Very respectfully,
J. W. FLEET,
President N. N. S. Society.

Mr. J. W. Fleet, President N. N. S. Society:

DEAR SIR:—In behalf of the orphans and the Reception and Entertainment Committee, your kind invitation is accepted, with thanks, and we will be on hand promptly at 8 P. M. Thursday, August 14th. Yours truly,
N. F. PARKER,
Chairman Orphans' R. & E. Com.

A list of the names of the visitors and the homes at which they are being entertained are as follows:

N. F. Parker, 620 Market street—Superintendent J. F. Brinson, wife and two daughters and the matron of the orphange.

Mrs. Anderson, 609 Dock street—Beulah Morris and Fairy Anderson.

Wm. Sheehan, 1015 Market—Tom and Chauncey Delamar.

E. F. Johnson, 10 North Ninth—Arabella Delamar.

W. A. Farris, 17 South Second—Sallie and Edwin Betts.

E. F. Lewis, 922 North Eighth—Everett and Walter Odell.

W. H. Yopp, 318 North Fifth—Sam and Charlie Stewart.

Rev. G. B. Webster, 815 North Fifth—Bessie and Lee Fulton.

Ed Taylor, 511 South Front—Minnie and Edna Fulton.

S. Behrends, 508 Market—Lillian McDonald and Maud Evans.

J. F. Littleton, 314 Queen—Marthena Haskett and Julia Dulin.

J. B. Fales, Seventh and Castle—Maggie and Daisy Campbell.

R. A. Culpepper—Eighth and Castle—Louise and Anna McIntosh.

C. W. Woolard, 411 Bladen—Ada and Herbert Hinton.

E. D. Craig, 818 Chesnut—Marion McDonald and Bessie Williams.

J. E. Willson, 615 Princess—Maggie Stewart and Annie Rose.

Mrs. Phillips, 506 Church—Seth Lula and Richard Phillips.

M. C. Benson, 308 South Second—Sam Dulin and Macon Rose.

W. W. Thigpen, 719 Princess—Arnold Dennis and Floyd Chappell.

A. S. Winstead, 107 N. Eighth—Charley Williams and John Raney.

Ed. Boushee, Ninth and Dock—Pressley and Haywood Markham.

W. T. Mercer, 225 S. Front—Lizzie and Zuba Markham.

B. F. King, 509 S. Front—Mae Raney and Annie Williams.

J. O. Wiggs, 214 Campbell—Mamie and Fannie Rose.

Geo. C. Jackson, 510 Nun—Bettie Raney and Vera Tripp.

Veterans Will Meet.

Cape Fear Camp of Veterans will meet to-night at 7:30 o'clock at the W. L. I. armory for the purpose of appointing delegates to the Greensboro reunion and the transaction of other business. A full attendance is desired.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

— Miss Maggie Smith of Whiteville, is visiting Miss Lydia Yates.

— Mr. Sam. A. King, of Macon, Ga., is in the city for a brief visit to old friends.

— Miss Mattie Grimsley, of Site, N. C., is the guest of her brother, Mr. E. J. Grimsley.

— Misses Bessie and Annie Bell, Black, of Ivanhoe, are visiting in the city and at the beach.

— Mr. Jesse Ives, of Florence, S. C., arrived yesterday to take a position as travelling salesman for J. A. Taylor.

— Miss Bessie Holmes, who has bee the guest of the Misses Cole, left yesterday to visit Miss Borden, of Goldsboro.

— Mr. Frank P. Turrentine returned to Charleston yesterday, after a pleasant visit of two weeks to friends in Wilmington, his old home.

— Mrs. M. F. McClammy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lee Davis Lodge, wife of Dr. Lodge, president of Limestone College, Gaffney, S. C.

— Mrs. J. N. Cole and children, and Misses Mary and Lucy Cole, left yesterday to spend the remainder of the Summer in Mecklenburg county, Va.

— Miss Lydia Yates and Mrs. Northrop have returned from Whiteville, where they have for several weeks been the guests of Mr. Joshua Smith's family.

— Mr. H. M. Bremer, of New York, is in the city visiting Mr. G. J. McMillan, Front and Church streets. Mrs. Bremer and children have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. McMillan for several weeks.

— Misses Annie and Mamie Wirt and Mrs. C. Buse, of Charleston, who have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bornemann, Seventh and Ann streets, returned home yesterday afternoon.

— Mr. L. P. McKenzie, who is well and popularly known as once manager of Armour's branch office in this city, arrived Monday night on a brief visit. He is now in business with Mr. Sam. Powell, at Charlotte.

The Rutherfordton Excursion.

Between five and six hundred of the excursionists from Rutherfordton who reached the city Monday evening and returned at 9:30 o'clock last night, went down the river yesterday for the specially arranged trip by Capt. Jno. W. Harper, of the steamer *Wilmington* and all expresed great pleasure at the outing. The excursion was one of the most representative that has visited the seashore this season and Mr. Frank Gough, the popular manager, deserves all kinds of congratulations upon the success of it. The Rutherfordton band accompanied the party and discoursed some excellent music for the occasion.

Chase After a Negro.

As Justice G. W. Bornemann, the erstwhile deputy sheriff, was pursuing the even tenor of his way in search of witnesses and jurors for the Superior Court yesterday morning, he was alarmed near Princess and Water streets by cries of a woman who was being severely beaten in the neighborhood. He hurried to investigate the "racket" but the negro man who was applying the lash, escaped the wily deputy and a chase followed fit for the gods to look upon. The negro led the officer a lively pace to the railroad and then up the track where he got in a home-stretch sprint that completely outdistanced the pursuer. Justice Bornemann sighed; then returned to the city.

Married Last Evening.

Last evening at the residence of Mr. H. W. Smith, No. 303 Bladen street, Miss Annie Lou Smith, of McCall, S. C., and Mr. John Hill, of Wilmington, were married in the presence of a few friends, the Rev. Geo. B. Webster, pastor of Bladen Street M. E. church, officiating. The ceremony was a quiet affair but very pretty. Mr. Ed. Peterson was best man and Miss Irene Peterson maid of honor. Later, at the residence of the happy young couple, Fifth and Queen streets, an elegant spread of refreshments was enjoyed by the bridal party.

LOCATION OF MASONIC TEMPLE.

Committee Failed to Agree at Goldsboro Last Night—A Contest On.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., August 12.—A special from Goldsboro says the Grand Lodge committee on location for the Masonic Temple adjourned without arriving at an agreement. The next meeting will be held in Raleigh on a date yet to be announced. Members of the committee say the fight has resolved to a contest between Greensboro and Raleigh.

A. & M. Will Take All.

President Geo. T. Winston writes: "The A. & M. College will take all North Carolina boys that are prepared to enter in September. If necessary the president will borrow tents from the State and use them for dormitories. The report that there will not be room enough is an error. Three houses have been rented, two new college buildings added, and a hundred tents are ready for use if needed. College opens September 3rd."

For the Confederate Veterans' Reunion, Greensboro, N. C. August 30th, 1902, the Atlantic Coast Line has authorized reduced round-trip rates from all points of A. C. L. in the State of North Carolina. Tickets at reduced rate will be sold August 18th, 19th and 20th, with final limit August 25th. Rate from Wilmington will be $3.55 for the round trip.

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The Delineator for September has arrived.

Respectfully,

A. D. BROWN.

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JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Pres., J. W. NORWOOD, Vice Pres.

We respectfully invite your attention to the following:

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT:

Deposits.	Surplus, etc.
1902.	1902.
April 30, $1,145,600	April 30, $128,900
July 16, 1,283,900	July 16, 146,700

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Conducted Sunday by Dr. Angus McDonald. Two Fine Sermons.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

WRIGHTSVILLE SOUND, Aug. 12.—Sunday, August 10th, was a great day at Wrightsville Sound. In the broad pavilion of the Atlantic View Hotel, a large and enthusiastic congregation gathered at 11 A. M. to hear a sermon from the Rev. Angus Mc Donald, D. D., of Nashville, Tenn. The speaker took for his text a part of the 18th verse of the 19th chapter of Second Samuel. His theme was the duty and privilege of doing something heroic for Christ.

At 4:30 in the afternoon another good congregation assembled. The speaker took for his theme the 23d Psalm, which he considered one of the most beautiful Psalms in the Bible. There was no instrument of music in the pavalion, but there were some fine voices in the congregation and the good old hymns were sung with such sweetness that they were enjoyed by all present. The people in the surrounding country as well as the boarders of the hotel took advantage of this opportunity to worship God and turned out in good numbers. Altogether it was a delightful occasion.

No Pardon For Pruitt.

A special from Winston-Salem to the Charlotte *Observer* says: "A letter received here from Col. P. M. Pearsall, private secretary of Governor Aycock, states that the Governor has passed on the case of George W. Pruitt and declines to interfere. This means no pardon will be granted the man who is serving an 18-months sentence on the county roads for shooting Mr. Rex Gass."

Meeting of Subscribers.

There will be a meeting of the subscribers to stock in the recently incorporated Atlantic Trust and Banking Co., in the rooms of the Merchants' Association this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

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Carolina Yacht Club.

The August Regatta will be sailed over the club course Friday, August 15th, 1902, at 4:30 P. M. Boats will report at 4 P. M.
By order of the Regatta Committee.
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au 13 1t Purser.

The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 13.

THE TRUST PROGRAMME.

The Trusts are not yet much alarmed at the talk of legislation to put them under restraint. Some of them do not attach much importance to that kind of talk, knowing its source and understanding its motive, while others feel that if there be anything in the talk legislation is a game that two can play at, and they will play a hand in any that may be proposed. Of course they will not go before Congress rampant and defiant, but will adopt methods that they feel will be effective. Some of these methods are foreshadowed in the following from a letter of the New York correspondent of the Washington *Star*:

"The first move to be made when an anti-trust bill is offered in Congress will be to demand that the 'business interests' shall be given a hearing. They point to the fact that when the gold standard bill was under consideration, the great banking and financial interests were freely consulted. They recall that the radical legislative action was not taken in the face of and despite the interests to be affected by it. They say that when a tariff bill is under consideration the manufacturers are called upon for their views and opinions of a measure vitally affecting their industries.

"So they want their day in court. People who know say they are likely to get it. At any rate, they are going ahead to make their demands good, if possible. The President and his supporters in the House and Senate will experience the east wind which the trusts are setting in motion as soon as that bill goes into Congress.

"The great cry is to be the safeguarding of 'vested interests.' The influence of the trusts is widespread. It extended into remote sections and will reach Congressmen by devious ways, but reach them in an influential manner. The great combinations of capital and industry have their tentacles fastened upon many communities. There may be half a dozen little plants in Representative Blank's district or Senator So-and-So's bailiwick, employing in the aggregate several thousand people. He will begin to hear from prominent men in his region; business is good, men are at work, mills are running day and night; be careful how you upset business.

"The word will come around in an insidious fashion to set the legislator thinking, no matter whether he is a Democrat or Republican. Even Democrats are beginning to be aware of the fact that the wheels are going around in this country, and they are not alone the wheels in the head of the Populist politician either. There are some Democratic Senators who are in mighty close touch with Wall street to day, and the views upon public questions they express, for home consumption, are not the views they entertain for the welfare of the country—and their own personal interests.

"Men of influence in the financial world here who are in a position to know what they are talking about say that you may as well set it down right now as a plain proposition of fact that the great combinations of capital and industry, lightly denominated trusts, propose to have, and will have, a hand in the framing of legislation affecting their welfare.

"In the last analysis of the question financial New York holds that there will of necessity be restrictive legislation in the near future, provided one party controls the executive and legislative branches of the government. In that view of the situation it is claimed that the legislation must be temperate and enacted with the co-operation of the industrial combinations."

There is nothing new in this. It is simply a repetition of the game played by the beneficiaries of protective legislation for many years past. The protected have demanded to be heard whenever there has been any talk of tariff changes, and they have been heard. They have been heard by the Industrial Commission within the past year, and by the House Committee on Ways and Means, both of which got a large amount of "testimony," which means opinions, from a number of gentlemen whose views were as much apart as they possibly could be. And for all the good this testimony did it might as well never have been taken, or might have been thrown into the refuse heap after it had been taken.

The Republican statesmen have always shown a great deal of respect and deference to the views and wishes of the protected interests, and the agents of their interests who appeared on or before the committees always managed to so shape their interrogatories as to get the kind of answers they wanted, and these answers invariably amounted to more than any popular demand, however strong it might be. The idea of a beneficiary of protection appearing before a Congressional committee as a candid, impartial witness is simply absurd, ridiculously absurd. It is rarely if ever that a person representing the people who pay tribute to the tariff beneficiaries appears before one of these committees, and when he does his story is generally a short one and to them a very uninteresting one.

In such discussions and such investigations the trusts and other protected combinations have the advantage of the people because they are thoroughly organized, under shrewd management, know just what they want and don't want and know how to proceed in the premises. They have their newspaper organs, and presses to print the literature which they send out by the ton, and they know the status of every Congressman or aspirant to a seat in Congress and know how to lay their case before him; win him, if they have not already got him, by playing upon his weakness, bully him if they can't win him by playing to his self importance and egotism, if they can bully him, and if they can neither cajole nor bully, they buy him directly or indirectly if he is purchasable. They know all the devices, for they have had long experience and fine opportunities for putting their devices into practice.

It is not at all likely that any anti-trust, or tariff revision, will be seriously proposed at the next session of Congress or in the next Congress if the Republicans control it, but if there be it will be interesting to note how the trust gentlemen will manipulate the Congress which proposes to manipulate them. They will be there in force, and every one of them will have a story of his own to tell, and show how their interests and the prosperity of the country are identified and how their interests cannot be touched without inviting dire calamity and bankrupting the Government. They are beginning to talk about a deficit now in the event of an attempt at tariff revision and they haven't got started yet.

SORDID SELFISHNESS.

The Philadelphia *North American* is a Republican paper, of a somewhat independent stripe. It is not in accord with the Republican leaders in their land grab game, nor in the kind of "benevolent assimilation" they are pursuing in the Philippines, and it isn't in favor of the scheme concocted by some of them to so embarrass Cuba as to force her to seek annexation to this country to protect herself from ruin. Senator Elkins, who is one of the principal annexation advocates, and some who agree with him are quoted as saying that the proposition to negotiate a loan of $35,000,000, most of which, it is understood, will be used in paying the Cuban soldiers and obligations contracted by their commanders during the war with Spain, is mere "sentimentalism" and another proof of their incapacity for self-government. Commenting upon this, the *North American* says:

"The sordid selfishness which demands pay for saving one's country is offensive to Americans, whose lofty patriotism scorns the very thought of accepting pecuniary reward for such service. If the ragged, famishing natives of Cuba were of the right stuff for the making of a free and independent republic, they would be proud of their rags and their poverty, and refuse to tarnish the glory of their struggle for liberty by taking money from their fellow-countrymen. The Cuban Senate has insulted the patriotism of the revolutionary army by offering to pay the wages of its 'so-called' heroes,' and demonstrated its own incapacity by proposing a loan greater than the revenue of the island and the Platt amendment warrant. If permitted to put this preposterous plan through, the Cuban government may even go to the absurd and unpatriotic length of proposing to pension its revolutionary soldiers."

What a clever rebuke this is to the "sordid selfishness" that has run our pension list up to nearly a million names, and the annual pensions to nearly $140,000,000, thirty-seven years after the close of the war, with about 50,000 more applications on file waiting to be passed upon. In the case of Cuba the desire to pay the soldiers who fought against Spain may be sentimentalism, but in the case of our pensions it is simply grab and politics without the redeeming feature of sentimentalism.

DRAWING THE LINE ON FAKIRS.

It is announced that the State Fair Association has drawn the line on fakirs and improper side-shows as features of entertainment for the people who visit the Fair at Raleigh. This is a very proper and commendable action and one that ought to have been taken long ago.

The Fair management has sometimes subjected itself to severe and deserved criticism on account of the disreputable character of some of the side shows and other swindles they licensed to hold forth and prey upon the people who were not up to their ways. There is nothing edifying and very little that is entertaining in the least objectionable of these wandering combinations, while some of them are simply gambling and swindling schemes that come to prey upon and rob the unsuspecting, and rob them, too, under authority of a license from the Fair management. The management may sometimes issue these licenses on misrepresentations and may not know the real character of the thing licensed, but no license should be issued until they do know the real character of the thing that seeks a license. The only excuse for permitting them to hold forth on the Fair grounds or anywhere in the vicinity is the money they pay, but if a Fair cannot be run without this, better not have any. People who will not attend Fairs without the attraction of these side shows and other catch-penny enterprises derive little benefit from the Fair, and if the Fair is intended to be educational it misses its aim. It should not be made either directly or indirectly a medium to help fakirs rob the unsuspecting people who are innocent enough to be fooled out of their money by them.

Mr. Wu Ting-fang went to New York a few days ago and saw them pulling up streets. That's one of the things he couldn't understand, why it is that we make nice streets then pull them up and make 'em over again. That's the way we experiment, improve our towns and give contractors who have a pull fat jobs.

There is a farmer in Wisconsin who gets as mad as a hornet every time any one mentions a red rooster in his presence. Some time ago a glib-tongued chap came along with tin roosters of a breed which turns red six hours before a storm comes along, and all he asked for them was $30 a piece and to be accommodating took notes for that amount. This farmer bought one, which hasn't changed color yet, but when his note was presented for collection it had changed from $30 to $300.

One of the noted denizens of Gordonsville Station, Va., has disappeared and left a temporary vacuum in the fried chicken department. It was a colored woman, who for the past thirty years has been supplying hungry travellers with fried chicken for lunch. It was the genuine article, too. She never stooped to the fraud of recovering the cast-off bones with dough and palming them off as sure-enough chicken, as some of her competitors did.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Some Republican leaders are talking of a "Roosevelt, Revision, and Reciprocity" battle cry for 1904. We should think the Republican party might be a trifle backward in tampering with the three R buzz saw.—*Washington Post, Ind.*

—— It was funny that on the very day when the Governor of Massachusetts was hearing an appeal to hold a North Carolina refugee unless the Governor of North Carolina would guarantee the suppression of a lynching bee that the citizens of Marion, Mass., should be tarring and feathering a Masschusetts white man for a much milder offence than that which in the South is the usual cause of lynching a negro.—*Boston Commercial Bulletin, Ind.*

—— "Would-be tariff tinkers," exclaims a beet sugar organ, "will notice that the excellent working of the Dingley tariff is the only thing standing between the Treasury and a deficit for 1902." There is an impression that the excise taxes do something in the way of standing between the Treasury and a deficit. However, with another whack or two at them by a Republican Congress both the tariff and the excise taxes will be unable to stave off a deficit.—*Louisville Courier-Journal, Dem.*

—— Hero Hobson has evolved from his inner conciousness a plan by which the American navy would, in three decades, outstrip that of England, and make the United States the greatest naval Power in the world. The thing is simplicity itself; it is to go on increasing our naval appropriations by $5,000,000 each year until the desired result is attained. The possibility that England might adopt a similar policy, and maintain her lead throughout the period named, does not seem to have occurred to the destroyer of the Merrimac.—*Philadelphia Telegraph, Rep.*

TWINKLINGS

— "What did your old uncle leave?" "A lot of disgusted relatives, and a jubilant young widow we'd never heard of before."—*Philadelphia Record.*

— Towne— You're still in debt, I suppose? Browne—No, but I'd like to be. I can't be still a minute; my creditors keep me on the jump.—*Philadelphia Press.*

— When a real old-fashioned woman pays more than $3 for a hat she regards the first rainstorm she is caught in as a judgment of the Lord. —*Atchison Globe.*

— Mrs. Newlywed—What is the difference between you and a $20 bill, pet? Mr. Newlywed—I'll give it up. Mrs. Newlywed—That's the answer, dear—I need a new hat!—*Life.*

— Summer Confidence: Her Chum—Your heart must have gone pitty-pat when Mr. Steeltrust proposed. Penelope (confidentially)—"Pitty pat?" It went ping-pong.—*Judge.*

— Mrs. Spenders—That's what I call a "duck" of a bonnet. Mr. Spenders—Yes? I'd call it a "pelican." Mrs. Spenders—A "pelican?" Mr. Spenders—Yes, on account of the size of the bill.—*Philadelphia Press.*

— Medium—First American: Which do you prefer, Marius, to be very rich or very poor? Second American—If I had my choice, Aurelus, I should be neither. I should have about five millions.—*Life.*

— Mean: Clarence—I go right in for amatuaw theatricals, y' know! Played the lead lawst wintah in "Not Such a Fool as He Looks." Belle Isle —My! You must be an awfully clever actor, Clarence.—*Puck.*

— "He's a good friend of yours, isn't he?" "Oh, only medium." "What do you mean by medium?" "Oh, he listens while I tell him all of my troubles, but he also wants me to listen while he tells me all of his."—*Chicago Post.*

— "This paper says that some inhabitants of the Philippines are barbarians," remarked Willie. "What is a barbarian?" "Barbarians, my boy," replied Willie's pa, "are people who fight with bows and spears instead of repeating rifles."—*Philadelphia Record.*

Food Changed to Poison.

Putrefying food in the intestines produces effects like those of arsenic, but Dr. King's New Life Pills expel the poisons from clogged bowels gently and easily, but surely, curing Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Fevers and all Liver, Kidney and Bowel troubles. Only 25 cents at R. R. BELLAMY's drug store. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Goldsboro *Argus*: The death of Amos Green, 55 years of age, who claimed to be the first colored child born in Goldsboro, occurred at his home here Sunday night. No one ever disputed his claim.

— Raleigh *Post*: The sad news of the death (from cholera), of Capt. Joseph B. Batchelor, Jr., of the 25th regular infantry, United States army, now doing service in the Philippines, was received by members of the family here Monday morning.

— Aberdeen *Telegram*: The question has been asked what the Populists of this country will do this year. A good many have gone to the Republicans and others to the Democrats, and the balance of them will divide between the old parties.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*: Henry Higgins, colored, arrested in Fayetteville Monday for house breaking and larceny in Dunn, broke away from the officer and was shot by Constable Goddard. The bullet entered the back under his right shoulder. Higgins is now in jail paralyzed and expected to die.

— Lexington *Dispatch*: We have been reliably informed that there are plans on foot for the organization of an over-all factory at this place. —— The Elliott chair factory, which was recently organized with Mr. G. W. Montcastle president and Mr. J. A. Elliott secretary and treasurer, will be under construction just as soon as a suitable site can be purchased.

— Winston *Republican*: Mr. W. E. Briggs, of this city, inventor of the Brigg's Cigarette Machine, has about completed his new invention, a machine for stemming leaf tobacco, which is said to work like a charm. A patent has been obtained for the same. It is said that efforts along this line in the past have been imperfect owing to the fact that the handling of broken stems proved a serious hindrance. This objection, we learn, Mr. Briggs has successfully overcome.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: There is almost an insanity epidemic in Cumberland county. For the past few months this county has had to transport to the asylums at Raleigh and Goldsboro a number of insane persons, and on Saturday a white woman of Hope Mills, Mrs. Alice Bodenheimer, and Monday another white woman, Miss Della M. Jones, of Cedar Creek, were sent up to the Raleigh asylum. There are now several applications for admission to the asylum on file in the clerk's office.

— Reidsville *Weekly*: A farmer two or three miles from town sowed ten acres of wheat last Fall, a bushel to the acre, and used six sacks of fertilizer. His return from the entire sowing was one bushel. Another seeded ten acres and put in four sacks of fertilizer and reaped five pecks of wheat. Rather discouraging, but better than some fields yielded, which were a total failure. We know of one farmer who plowed up his wheat and put in oats, making a good crop of the latter; and of another who did not put a cradle in a field of thirty acres.

CANE GROWING.

Sugar Cane as Salable as Cotton and Much More Profitable.

It is my opinion that it will pay every planter living within a mile of the railroad to plant a part of his crop in cane sugar. The best land should be used for it. The same implements on the cotton farm will do the work for cane. Plowing for cane should be done deep and well and 500 pounds of fertilizer used per acre and the crop thoroughly cultivated. Now that we use derricks and slings for taking the cane from the wagon to the car the ordinary cotton wagons answer well for delivering cane to the car.

To make a comparison, land which will produce without fertilizer three-fourths of a bale of cotton per acre, with proper preparation and thorough cultivation and with the addition of $5 worth of fertilizer will produce fifteen to eighteen tons of cane. The cotton crop will sell for $26.25 and the cane for $56.25 to $67.20. Deduct 50 cents per ton for freight to the factory, and we have for the gross proceeds $49 and $60 against $26.25 for cotton. At present sugar cane is as salable as cotton. There are several factories along the railroad which will purchase all that is offered and contract to do so for a number of years. Sugar cane is a hardy plant and will stand storms and wind better than any crop we have, but it requires good cultivation and plenty moisture, and will yield well favorable seasons. When the months of July, August and September are excessively dry, the tonnage will be light.

The amount of money coming in from 50 or 100 acres of cane is so much greater than that received for cotton that I am sure planters will find it profitable to have a small acreage of it every year. I think cane can be grown on the same terms with the labor as cotton—viz, on halves, the cost of seed and fertilizer being equally divided between the planter and the labor, the planter giving close enough attention to the planting and cultivation to insure proper work. Where the cost of seed and fertilizer is as great as for a crop of cane it will not do at all to plant in a careless manner. Good stands are essential to good growth, but when this is done I see no reason why the crop should not make money for both. I have on my plantation a number of tenants who plant small patches of cane, and all of them seem to do well and are the first to pay up accounts.—Hon. U. S. Dougherty, Louisiana, Before Farmers' Institute.

Pumpkins For Hogs.

Pumpkins for hogs can be kept quite late in the fall by placing on shelves in a barn where they will be dried. Of course they should be fed out before very cold weather arrives.

CONVENTION DATES.

Republican State, at Greensboro, on August 28.

Sixth District, Congressional (Democratic), at Fayetteville, on August 20th.

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WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT

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BAGGING—			
2 ℔ Jute	6¾	@	7
Standard		@	7¼
Burlaps	6	@	6¾
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ℘ ℔	12½	@	14
Sides ℘ ℔	10	@	10½
Shoulders ℘ ℔	9	@	10½
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℘ ℔	9 60	@	9 75
Shoulders ℘ ℔	9	@	9¼
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each	1 35	@	1 35
Second-hand machine	1 35	@	1 35
New New York, each		@	1 35
New City, each		@	1 35
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ℘ M	6 50	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ℘ ℔	25	@	32½
Northern	22	@	28
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks	75	@	77½
Virginia Meal		@	77½
COTTON TIES—℘ bundle		@	1 12½
CANDLES—℘ ℔—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	8	@	11
COFFEE—℘ ℔—			
Laguyra	11	@	12½
Rio	7	@	10
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℘ yard		@	5¼
Yarns, ℘ bunch of 5 ℔s		@	0
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ℘ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℘ half-bbl.	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℘ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℘ half-bbl.	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℘ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℘ barrel	3 75	@	4 25
Mullets, ℘ pork barrel	7 50	@	8 00
N. C. Roe Herring, ℘ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ℘ ℔	6	@	10
" Extra	4 00	@	5 00
FLOUR—℘ ℔—			
Low grade	3 50	@	3 75
Choice	3 75	@	4 00
Straight	4 25	@	4 50
First Patent		@	5 00
GLUE—℘ ℔	8	@	10
GRAIN—℘ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bgs—White	82½	@	85
Mixed Corn		@	82½
Oats, from store (mixed)	57½	@	60
Oats, Rust Proof	70	@	75
Cow Peas	1 10	@	1 15
HIDES—℘ ℔—			
Green salted	4	@	5
Dry flint	10	@	11
Dry salt	9	@	10
HAY ℘ 100 ℔s			
No 1 Timothy	95	@	1 00
Rice Straw	50	@	60
N. C. Crop	75	@	80
HOOP IRON, ℘ ℔	2¾	@	3[illegible]
CHEESE—℘ ℔—			
Northern Factory	12½	@	14
Dairy Cream	12	@	13½
Half cream	10	@	12½
LARD, ℘ ℔—			
Northern	8¾	@	12½
North Carolina	10	@	12½
LIME, ℘ barrel	1 10	@	1 25
PORK, ℘ barrel—			
City Mess		@	18 50
Rump		@	18 50
Prime		@	17 50
ROPE, ℘ ℔	11	@	22
SALT, ℘ sack, Alum		@	1 25
Liverpool		@	90
American		@	90
On 001 ℘ bags	45	@	48
SUGAR, ℘ ℔—Standard Gran'd		@	5 00
Standard A		@	4
White Extra C	4½	@	4¾
Extra C, Golden		@	4½
C Yellow		@	4¾
LUMBER (city sawed) ℘ M ft—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES, ℘ gallon—			
Barbadoes, in hogshead		@	25
Barbadoes, in barrels		@	28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads	28	@	31
Porto Rico, in barrels	28	@	33
Sugar House, in hogsheads	12	@	14
Sugar House, in barrels	14	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	17	@	27
NAILS, ℘ keg, Cut, 60d basis	2 40	@	2 50
SOAP, ℘ ℔—Northern	3½	@	4
STAVES, ℘ M—W. O. barrel	6 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℘ M feet—Shipping	8 00	@	9 00
Common mill	4 00	@	5 00
Fair mill	5 00	@	6 50
Prime mill	6 50	@	7 50
Extra mill	8 00	@	8 50
SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed			
℘ M 6x24 heart	6 25	@	7 00
" Sap	5 50	@	6 00
5x20 Heart	3 50	@	4 00
" Sap	2 50	@	3 00
WHISKEY, ℘ gallon Northern	1 00	@	2 10

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, August 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 44c per gallon.

ROSIN—Market quiet at $1.10 per barrel for strained and $1.15 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.50 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.40 per barrel for hard, $2.50 for dip, and $2.60 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine quiet at $1.00 @2.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	27
Rosin	97
Tar	61
Crude turpentine	67

Receipts same day last year—82 casks spirits turpentine, 249 barrels rosin, 345 barrels tar, 59 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 8¾c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	6⅜	cts. ℘ ℔
Good ordinary	8¼	" "
Low middling	8⅜	" "
Middling	8¾	" "
Good middling	9 1-16	" "

Same day last year, market firm at 8¼c for middling.

Receipts—1 bale; same day last year, 13.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c. Spanish, 77 @80c.

CORN—Firm; 80@82½c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Firm at 15c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 27½@30c; springs, 12½@20c.

TURKEYS—No sale.

BEESWAX—Firm at 28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60@70c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, August 12.—Money on call was steady at 3@3½ per cent. the market closing at 3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4¼@5 per cent. Sterling exchange easier, with the actual business in bankers' bills at 487⅞@488 for demand and at 485¼ @485⅜ for sixty days. Posted rates 486 and 488½. Commercial bills 484⅜ @485¾. Bar silver 52¾. Mexican dollars 41¼. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U.S. refunding 2's, registered, 107¼; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 107¼; U. S. 3's, registered, 105¾; do. coupon, 105¾; U.S. 4's, new reg'd, ex int, 132; do. coupon, ex int., 132¼; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 108¼; do. coupon, 108¼; U. S. 5's registered, 104; do. coupon, ex int, 104; Southern Railway, 5's, 121¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 110⅝; Chesapeake & Ohio 54¼; Manhattan L 134; New York Central 163⅛; Reading 66⅝; do. 1st preferred 86; do. 2nd preferred 72⅝; St. Paul 184⅝; do. pref'd, 192¼; Southern Railway 39⅛; do. pref'd 97¼; Amalgamated Copper 67¼; Am'n Tobacco —c; People's Gas ex div 103¾; Sugar 131⅛; Tennessee Coal and Iron 67¼; U. S. Leather 12⅞; do. pref'd, 86; Western Union 91⅛; U. S. Steel 39⅝; do. preferred 89⅝; National R. R. of Mexico 18⅛; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 68¼; do. preferred, 128; Standard Oil, 667 @670.

BALTIMORE, August 12.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 32⅝@32¾; do. preferred, 52⅞@53; bonds, fours, 87¼@87⅞.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine steady at 47@47½c

CHARLESTON, Aug. 12.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Aug. 12.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 44½c; receipts 1,711 casks; sales 597 casks; exports 13,552 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 4,708 barrels; sales — barrels; exports 4,501 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, $1 05, D, $1 10, E, $1 15; F, $1 20; G, $1 25; H, $1 50; I, $1 90; K $2 40; M, $2 90; N, $3 30; W G, $3 40; W W, $3 55.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The cotton market opened quiet and firm with prices unchanged to five points higher in sympathy with a better ruling of the English market. Fear that the regular weekly government report might be favorable, helped to disturb the bear element. Prices slowly settled back to last night's bids after the call and trading dropped off to a scattering, unsatisfactory business in which the scalpers took the nominal lead. Receipts were only moderate and further large clearances for export from the New York stock were bulletined. The regular weather map from Washington gave high temperatures over the western belt again and there were numerous crop complaints from various parts of the cotton country. Toward midday prices kept within a point or two of the final bids of last night. The bureau report proved a stand off with the tendency if anything rather against the crop. Yet the market was in no way affected and prices during the greater part of the afternoon hovered around 7.65 for January. Then came a sudden demand from prominent room traders, believed to be for the account of a well known Wall street operator. The shorts became uneasy and soon were scrambling for cover. Prices were sensitive to this buying and worked up several points, closing steady at a net advance of four to six points on all months except August, which was neglected and down one point. Total sales were estimated at 90,000 bales, well scattered throughout the list.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Cotton easy at 9c; net receipts 33 bales; gross receipts 2,014 bales; stock, 91,690 bales.

Spot cotton market closed easy; middling uplands 9c; middling gulf 9¼c; sales 460 bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: August 8.38, September 7.89, October 7.75, November 7.67, December 7.66, January 7.68, February 7.68, March 7.68, April 7.67, May 7.69.

Total to-day—Net receipts 1,940 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,865 bales; exports to France 522 bales; bales; exports to the Continent 14,749 bales; stock 157,857 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 3,663 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,166 bales; exports to France 522 bales; exports to the Continent 16,436 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 7,556,068 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,008,521 bales; exports to France 738,760 bales; exports to the Continent 2,788,659 bales

August 14.—Galveston cotton was quiet at 8 7 16c, net receipts 933 bales; Norfolk, quiet at 9c, net receipts 128 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 9¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 9c, net receipts 6 bales; Wilmington, firm at 8¾c, net receipts 720 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 9¼c, net receipts 54 bales; Savannah, quiet at 8½c, net receipts 503 bales; New Orleans, quiet and easy at 8⅝c, net receipts 215 bales; Mobile, nominal at 8¼c, net receipts 1 bales; Memphis, quiet at 8⅝c, net receipts 8 bales; Augusta, quiet at 8¾c, net receipts 6 bales; Charleston, quiet at —c, net receipts 7 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, August 12.—Flour was unsettled and barely steady under free offerings; Minnesota patents $3 80@3 95; winter patents $3 65@3 90. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 75c. Options—Affected by higher cables, foreign buying predictions of showers in the Northwest and a bullish construction of the crop report wheat was active and higher to-day. Being considerably oversold, covering was a prominent factor all day and the market closed up firm at 1⅛@1¼c net advance. Sales included: September 73¼c; December 72¼c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 63½c. Options developed activity and closed firm with September 2c higher and others ¼@⅜c up. May closed 43⅝; September closed 57½c; December closed 45¼. Oats—Spot unsettled; No. 2, 60c. Options were active and stronger in sympathy with corn and on a bullish review of the crop report. Lard quiet; Western steam $10 75@10 80; August closed $10 80, nominal; refined easy; South American $11 55; continent $10 90. Butter—Market firm; creamery 17@20½c; State dairy 17 @20c. Eggs quiet; State and Pennsylvania 20½@21c. Cheese quiet; new State full cream, small colored fancy 9½c; small white 9½c. Pork steady. Cabbages easy; Long Island, per 100, $2 00@2 75. Peanuts—Market steady; fancy hand-picked 5¼@5½c; other domestic 3½@5¼c. Potatoes easy; Long Island, $1 00@1 25; Southern prime 75c@$1 00; Jersey $1 00 @1 25. Rice was firm; domestic, fair to extra 4½@7c; Japan 4¼@5c. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5 7-16c; mild steady; Cordova 8@11½c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 2 15-16c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 13-32c; refined steady. Tallow easy. Freights to Liverpool—cotton by steam 12½c. Cotton seed oil was steadier as a result of light offerings rather than any increased demand: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills nominal, prime summer yellow 42½@43c; off summer yellow 41½c; prime white 46½@47c; prime winter yellow 47c; prime meal $27 00 nominal.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—To-day was a bull day in both grains and provisions and everything went up. The government crop report, which was a sore disappointment to the bears, was the cause of the upturn. Shorts were frightened and covered freely in everything. Sellers were scarce in wheat and in spite of good crop conditions the brisk demand to secure profits, especially in corn, sent wheat up 2 cents and corn advanced 2⅛c. At the close September wheat was 1⅛@⅞c up, corn September 1⅛c higher and September oats 1@1⅛c advance. Provisions closed unchanged to 30c higher.

CHICAGO, August 12.—Cash prices: Flour steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring 72½c; No. 3 spring 71c; No. 2 red 68⅛ @70c. Corn—No. 2, 55c; No. 2 yellow 58@58¾c. Oats—No. 2, 30@36c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 31@31½c. Rye—No. 2 50½c. Mess pork, per barrel, $16 25@16 30. Lard, 100 lbs., 10 42½ @10 45. Short rib sides, loose, $9 20@9 80. Dry salted shoulders, boxed $9 00@9 12½. Short clear sides, boxed, $11 25@11 37½. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 31.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 September 67⅜ @67¾, 69⅛, 67⅜, 69c; December 66¼ @66⅛, 67¼, 66¼, 67⅛@67½c: May 68⅞@69, 70, 68¾, 69⅞@70c. Corn—No. 2, September 50¼@51, 52⅝, 50⅛, 52½c; December 39⅝, 41, 39⅜, 40⅜c; May 38⅜@38⅞, 39¼, 38¾, 39⅛@39¼. Oats—No. 2 September, old, 24⅞, 25¼, 24⅛, 25½c; September, new, 29@29⅛, 30⅛, 29, 29½c; December, 28@28⅛, 28¾, 28, 28⅝c; May 29@29⅛, 29⅞, 29, 29⅝c. Mess pork, per bbl—September $15 07, 16 37½, 16 97½, 16 30; October $16 10, 16 55, 16 10, 16 45; January $13 97½, 14 60, 13 97½, 14 40. Lard, per 100 lbs—September $10 45, 10 67, 10 45, 10 55; October $9 45, 9 70, 9 45, 9 75; January $8 17½, 8 40, 8 17½, 8 35. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—September $9 50, 9 97½, 9 40, 9 80; October $9 15, 9 50, 9 15, 9 30; January $7 30, 7 60, 7 30, 7 52½.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 12.—Cotton: Spot moderate business, prices steady; American middling 4 13-16d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 1,000 bales were for speculation and export and included 6,100 bales American. Receipts 4,000 bales, including 2,500 bales American.

Futures opened and closed steady; American middling (g o c) August 4 39-64@4 40-64d seller; August and September 4 34-64@4 35-64d seller; September and October 4 24-64d seller; October and November 4 18-64@4 19-64d buyer; November and December 4 16-64d seller; December and January 4 14-64d seller; January and February 4 14-64d buyer; February and March 4 14-64d value; March and April 4 14-64d seller.

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W. & W. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 31 barrels rosin, 11 barrels tar, 7 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1 bale cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 32 barrels rosin, 27 barrels tar, 49 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—10 casks spirits turpentine, 11 barrels tar, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—1 bale cotton, 27 casks spirits turpentine, 97 barrels rosin, 61 barrels tar, 67 barrels crude turpentine.

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[Original.]

"Are you Mrs. Sanderson's coachman?"

"Yes, miss."

"I'm Miss Childers' maid. Miss Childers didn't come. I came instead."

"Yes, miss. Step in."

Miss Childers' maid got into the victoria and, leaning back as if she had been born in a victoria, rode to Montview, where her mistress was expected.

"When will your mistress arrive?" asked Mrs. Sanderson when the maid had made Miss Childers' excuses.

"By the same train tomorrow, ma'am."

"Singular," muttered the lady, "that she should have sent her maid ahead. You can go to Miss Childers' rooms. They are the suit on the second floor to the right."

Later Miss Childers' maid noticed a gentleman in evening dress going down to dinner, and during the evening, while she was passing the time in the sewing room doing some mending, he stumbled in.

"Pardon me," he said. "I didn't know there was any one here."

"You're excusable, sir."

"Are you Miss Childers' maid?"

"I am, sir."

"You have a very nice mistress, I am told."

"Passable, sir."

"You're not very enthusiastic."

"My mistress doesn't need a character from her maid."

"True. Not every mistress could get a character from her maid."

"They say a man is never a hero to his own valet."

"Did you get such sprightly repartee from Miss Childers?"

"Miss Childers does not pride herself on repartee. She has matters of importance to interest her and keep her from chaffing her inferiors."

"I trust she hasn't the keen edged tongue of her maid."

"She may need it. I'm told she's thinking of marriage."

"Is she to get a fine fellow?"

"I trust he will be above bandying words with her maid."

"That depends upon the maid. One as pretty and as bright as she who has come here before her mistress would tempt any man."

The maid lowered her eyes.

"What do you consider Miss Childers' best trait?"

"That she is fully aware of her own faults."

"How long do you think it will take her to become aware of the faults of the man she is to marry?"

"Miss Childers will have the good sense to ignore them. All people have faults. It is the duty of married couples always to find excuses for each other."

"You mean that if her husband passes time that would otherwise hang heavy on his hands chatting with her maid his wife will find an excuse for him."

"If she does, he will not deserve such a wife."

"Then if you were Miss Childers he would not fare so well."

"We are discussing Miss Childers, not her maid."

"In this matter let us consider the maid. You blame me, a gentleman, for chatting with you, a servant. Suppose Miss Childers were to become a pauper and go out to service. Would you expect me to recognize her for what she had been?"

"That is different."

"In what respect?"

"Miss Childers would be a lady who had only recently become a servant."

"How long would she need to be a servant before my recognition of her would be inexcusable?"

"It would never be inexcusable."

"Very well. Suppose you were Miss Childers and had only today become her maid."

The girl cast a quick glance at him.

"Suppose," she said in reply, "that you had only this afternoon become Mr. Reginald Sanderson's coachman"—

"Good," he said. "You being Miss Childers' maid and I Mr. Sanderson's coachman, I am free to tell you that this is a case of love at first sight."

A long pause.

"Would you, were you Miss Childers, consider it a proper thing to become your maid?"

"And would you, being Mr. Sanderson, demean yourself by becoming your coachman?"

"I would—to see a woman unguarded who might be my wife."

"And what could be Miss Childers' object," he asked, "in becoming her own maid?

"Once upon a time," continued the man, "a princess was betrothed to a prince she had never seen. Desiring to observe him incog., she personated her own maid and went to visit the prince's mother. The prince, poor fool, thinking to see his fiancee when she was not masquerading—in fact, to do the masquerading himself—drove his carriage to the station, where, lo and behold, he found not her, but her maid. Disappointed at not meeting the mistress, he solaced himself by chatting with the maid and—lost his heart."

Miss Childers' maid looked up with a smile. "But she was Miss Chil—I mean the princess."

"And the coachman was Mr. San—I mean the prince."

Mrs. Sanderson, passing upstairs, hearing voices in the serving room, glanced in and was inexpressibly shocked to see Miss Childers' maid in the arms of her son. The fond mother kept the secret. She was not surprised the next morning when the girl, making an excuse, departed, but she was surprised, when Miss Childers arrived later, at the resemblance between her and her maid.

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Hog Feeding In California.

Conditions here (California) are very much different from those prevailing in the eastern states or middle west. Root crops—beets, carrots and turnips—can remain standing and growing all winter without risk of freezing, or in the case of beets they may be corded up almost anywhere, like wood, for winter use. Squashes and pumpkins do well and keep a long time. Then rain often starts green grass in October. It is seldom, however, that grass is really good until February, but early sown rye is ready for use in a little while after the first rains. During the dry months, June, July, August and September and often October, sorghum, Kaffir corn or Egyptian corn will furnish excellent forage. In fact, I have had sorghum remain unhurt by frost until nearly Christmas. The above mentioned crops can be grown almost anywhere out here, with the exception that sorghum may not do well right along the ocean, west of here, owing to heavy fogs. In fact, almost any plant of the corn family makes excellent green forage here during the months when there is little or no rain.—Cor. Rural New Yorker.

Out of an average annual loss to the world's shipping of 2,172 vessels 94 are completely missing and never heard of again.

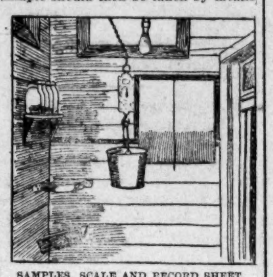
Ambition causes a fool to jump at the moon and fall in the mud.—Chicago News.

PROFITABLE DAIRYING.

Have a Standard and Keep a Record of Individual Cows.

A prominent dairy authority has recently said, "If the death angel should sweep over the state and in one night destroy the poorest third of all the cows in Illinois, the dairymen would awake the next morning financially better off." Frequently dairymen are keeping one-half of their herd at an actual loss. They are perhaps making a little profit on the whole herd and are thus apparently satisfied, whereas if they would dispose of their unprofitable cows they would make more money and also save labor. Generally speaking, cows cannot be kept at a profit in Illinois that do not produce the equivalent of 250 pounds of butter annually.

To determine exactly what a cow produces in a year every milking must be weighed and sampled, but if the herd is given a one week test every three months it will be sufficient to yield valuable results. All the apparatus necessary for this purpose is a spring balance, as many common glass fruit jars as there are cows in the herd and a four bottle Babcock milk tester. The milk may be weighed on any scale, but a spring balance is most convenient. The scale should be so adjusted that it will balance the empty milk pail with the hand at zero, as shown in the cut. The weight of the milk may then be read directly from the scale without subtracting the weight of the pail and may be quickly recorded opposite the cow's name on the milk sheet provided for the purpose and placed on the wall convenient to the scale. A sample should then be taken by means



SAMPLES, SCALE AND RECORD SHEET.

of a small dipper holding about two tablespoonfuls and placed in the jar bearing the cow's name or number. A cartridge shell of the proper size, with a wire attached for a handle, makes a very convenient dipper for this purpose. To prevent the milk from souring until the end of the week to each glass jar should be added as much pulverized potassium bichromate as will lie on a one cent piece. Potassium bichromate, although a rank poison, is one of the best preservatives to use for this purpose for the reason that it imparts a lemon color to the milk, thus making it easy of detection and obviating the possible mistake of feeding it to calves or pigs.

At the end of the week the composite samples in the jars are tested with the Babcock milk test to determine the per cent of butter fat. This gives the average amount of butter fat contained in each cow's milk for the week. The total weight of the milk for the week multiplied by the per cent of butter fat gives the total butter fat produced by that cow for the week.

This test should be made every three months or thirteen weeks, and in computing the yield of the cow for the three months the six weeks previous to and the six weeks following the test should be taken.—W. J. Fraser, Illinois Station.

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Every year a large number of poor sufferers, whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs, are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile, when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

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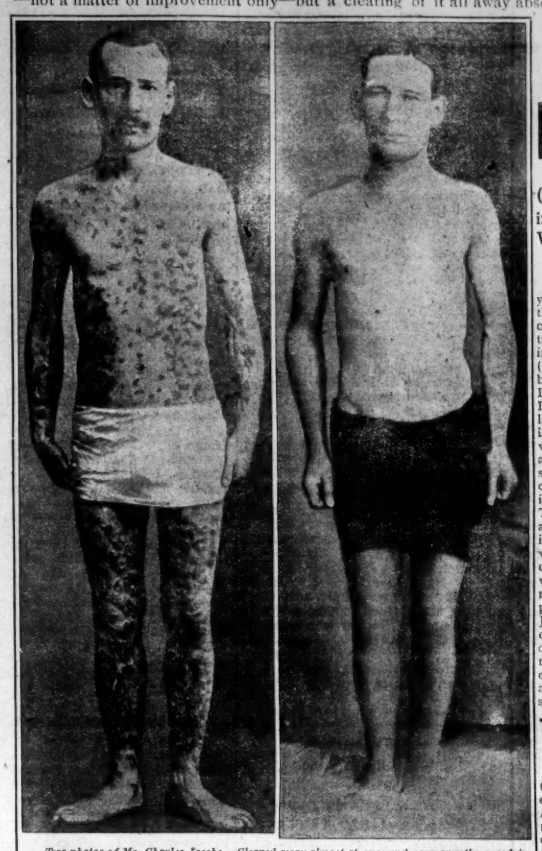
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ASTOUNDING GOOD NEWS

to thousands of wretched people. It will bring happiness to thousands who are miserable—imagining they have a bad blood poisoning—when in nine cases out of ten it is purely a local parasitic manifestation on the skin which can be cleared away in a hurry.

Such misery now cleared away as surely as the sun shines above. Not merely **attempted**—not a matter of improvement only—but a clearing of it all away absolutely—and quickly, too.



Two photos of Mr. Charles Jacobs. Cleared away almost at once and permanently cured in 45 days. Before treatment his hair was worn clipped owing to the scalp being scaly, and a moustache was worn to help hide sores on the lips. Note difference in appearance after cured. See changed expression. Nothing has ever brought more happiness to humanity than this discovery.

I VOUCH FOR THIS

Note what is known (having been fully proven to him) to a leader in the medical affairs of Wilmington.

ROBT. R. BELLAMY.

It has been proven to me beyond the possibility of a doubt that a new medicine quickly clears up the worst skin affections. Its work seems astonishing, amazing, almost miraculous. (It is a specific formula which, because of its discovery by Dr. Decatur Dennis, is known as "D. D. D.") Its actual record sounds like a story of magic. But there is no room for doubt about it whatever; full proofs, indisputable in every respect, have been submitted regarding hundreds of cases—among them the two cases illustrated in this announcement. The one case shown here of the adult (Mr. Charles Jacobs, psoriasis of many years' standing) was cured in 45 days. The other case of the boy (Sammy Minkey) was cured in three weeks. The results are not only complete, but permanent; in the case of Mr. Jacobs, which was one of the earliest cured after the discovery of this medicament, it is now nearly three years since the disease was cleared out of the skin, and no taint of it has appeared since.

This is not merely a commercial matter, it is a matter of humanity

to tell everybody with a skin disease about this medicament. Among the many cases proven to me of astonishingly quick and complete cures, all of which seem to have been permanent, many were photographed in such a condition that a reproduction in a newspaper would be perhaps too shocking for print. These cases given here, in the cause of humanity, this paper consented to print just as the patients appeared before and after treatment, though another newspaper refused to do so. Not a newspaper in Christendom but should publish every word of this information, pictures and all, if duty and not dollars were the governing rule.

A SMALL BLOTCH ON THE SKIN.

How skin diseases start in most cases.

In the two cases illustrated here the following are the facts: In the case of Mr. Jacobs (Psoriasis, a species of Eczema) the trouble started in three small spots and did not spread beyond this for eight years. Then it suddenly spread all over. It raged more or less all over in this way for ten years.

In the case of the boy shown below (pure Eczema) the trouble started in a small spot forward of the left ear. We understand it was quiet for two or three years before spreading. Photographs of the case show the boy literally covered, the same as shown on the face in the photo below, when treatment with D. D. D. was started.

Any blotch in the skin which sticks stubbornly at all should be attended to. However trifling it may seem, if it lingers long ten chances to one it is a parasitic start, and at any time it may cover your face or body, or both.

Filth is not the cause. The most hygienic and cleanly people are frequently afflicted with skin diseases. Attendants in bathhouses and barbers are examples that soap and water are no protection. Wherever the skin becomes weakened or impaired, then these parasites are likely at any time to attack, and if conditions are just wrong they will thrive and some form of skin disease will result. Almost all forms of it will spread by contact.



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DAILY 9.10 P. M. — No. 53—Due Fayetteville 1.05 A. M. 12.35 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.42 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.58 P. M.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. — No. 43—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.21 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.16 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M. Weldon 4.53 P. M., Petersburg 5.46 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 5.55 P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 1.35 A. M., Philadelphia 4.06 A. M., New York 7.15 A. M., *Boston 2.30 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M — No. 62—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 5.45 P. M — No. 55—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.03 P. M., Chadbourn 5.43 P. M. Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M. Denmark 6.31A. M., Augusta 8.35 A. M. Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M. Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 2.00 A. M., Jacksonville 5.30 A. M., St. Augustine 12.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M

DAILY 7.00 P. M. — No. 40—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.40 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M. Weldon 1.50 A. M., †Norfolk 1.00 P. M. Petersburg 3.35 A. M., Richmond 4.12 A. M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON.

DAILY 10.10 A. M. — No. 41—From North Richmond. Wilson.

DAILY 12.15 Noon. — No. 63—From Newbern.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. — No. 54—From Tampa, Jacksonville, Charleston.

DAILY 6.00 P M — No. 49—From North Richmond. Wilson †

DAILY 7.30 P M — No. 52—From Sanford. Fayetteville.

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TRAIN 40 — Leaves Charlotte 4:50 A. M., Hamlet at 8:10 A. M., arrives Maxton 8:52 A. M., Pembroke 9:06 A. M., Lumberton 9:50 A. M., Wilmington 12.15 noon.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.25 a m
Ar Monroe	12.15 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte		10.18 a m
Ar Chester	1.35 a m	10.32 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.43 a m	12.30 p m
Ar Athens	6.13 a m	2.50 p m
Ar Atlanta	8.50 a m	4.55 p m

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Lv Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.30 a m
Ar Columbia	1.05 a m	9.40 a m
Ar Savannah	4.55 a m	2.10 p m
Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	7.45 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.45 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.05 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.05 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Portsmouth		
Ar Norfolk	7.15 a m	5.35 p m
Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.25 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.30 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.25 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.54 a m	4.07 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.36 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 p m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.15 p m	6.30 a m

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.37 p. m.; Portsmouth 3.50 p. m.; Norfolk 6.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.12 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 39, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.35 p. m.; Chester 4.00 a. m.; Charlotte 4.50 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.00 a. m.

From train 66 leaving Jacksonville 3.05 p. m.; Savannah 12.10 p. m.; Columbia 3.56 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 5.05 a. m.

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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16.



To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS	GOING WEST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	4 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 52	Kinston	10 18	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 27	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 05	7 27
P.M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 1.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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Seacoast Railroad.

Summer Schedule, 1902. In effect Sunday, June 1st.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View,
*6.30 A. M. daily.	*7.10 A. M. daily.
10.30 A. M. daily	11.30 A. M. daily.
1.00 P. M. Sat. only.	2.00 P. M. Sat. only.
3.00 P. M. daily.	4.00 P. M. daily.
5.30 P. M. daily.	6.30 P. M. daily.
7.30 P. M. daily.	10.00 P. M. daily.
†11.00 P. M.	†12.00 P. M.

*Except Sunday.
†Friday and Saturday only.

FREIGHT.

All classes of freight will be handled on the 10.30 A. M. and 5.30 P. M. trains. The 6.30 A. M. and the 7.30 P. M. trains will carry perishable freight only.

Freight for 6.30 A. M. train,	Not rec'd after 6.15 A. M.
" 10.30 A. M.	" 10.00 A. M.
" 5.30 P. M.	" 5.00 P. M.
" 7.30 P. M.	" 7.15 P. M.

BAGGAGE.

All baggage not specifically marked for some hotel, boarding house or private family will be held at Ninth and Orange until the proper address has been given.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 13.

LYNCHING IN MISSOURI.

White Man and a Negro Taken from Jail and Hanged by a Masked Mob at Lexington.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LEXINGTON, MO., Aug. 12.—Charles Selyeas, white, and Harry Gates, colored, were taken from the county jail here by a masked mob at 1:30 this morning and lynched. They were charged with killing George W. Johnson, a wealthy farmer, who surprised them at his country house, near town a week ago. Before he was strung up Selyeas made a statement to the mob saying that Gates had fired the shot that killed Johnson.

Selyeas and Gates were arrested on the day following the shooting after an exciting chase. Johnson was one of the wealthiest and most respected men in the community, and the feeling against the two men was intense. A mob gathered while they were being brought to town, but was quieted through the efforts of the officers and it was believed that the men would be allowed to stand trial. Last night shortly after midnight armed men came to town by twos and threes, most of them masked. They massed finally near the court yard in which the county jail is situated. They were orderly and well directed. A demand on the jailor for the prisoners meeting with a refusal, several members of the mob who had come well prepared broke in the outer door and made quickly for the cells of the murderers. It took thirty minutes to cut three steel doors. Selyeas was taken out first, then Gates. Without further ado and without encountering any serious objection, the mob started with their victims for a point half a mile south of town. There Selyeas was granted permission to make his statement after which the men were strung up to a tree. The mob then disappeared.

TWO POLICEMEN KILLED.

In a Battle With Thugs in the Aristocratic Section of Chicago.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

CHICAGO, August 12.—O. T. Divine and Charles T. Pennell, patrolmen of the Chicago police department, were killed here early to-day in a revolver battle with what is supposed to have been a gang of thugs. Much mystery surrounds the shooting, for both men died before an accurate account of the tragedy could be obtained.

The fight occurred just before dawn near Jackson boulevard and Ashland avenue, in the aristocratic section of the west side. The fusillade of shots aroused the entire neighborhood. Citizens who heard the dying policemen groan rushed to their assistance and saw men running away. Officer Pennell heroically staggered one hundred feet to a patrol box and sent in an alarm for assistance. At once the police set a drag-net for all suspicious characters and soon had six men in custody. Before Pennell died he was able to gasp out a few words about "robbers," giving descriptions of the men.

A DYNAMITE PLOT.

To Destroy an Infirmary in Indiana and Kill the Forty-four Inmates.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DECATUR, IND., Aug. 12.—A plot to destroy the Adams county infirmary and to kill the forty-four inmates was unearthed to-day.

A. W. Butler, secretary of the State board of charities, was making an inspection of the buildings and in the room of Charles Echerman he found a pile of rubbish which he ordered removed. Buried beneath the rubbish sixty pounds of dynamite, two two-pound dynamite bombs and 125 feet of fuse were found. Echerman has been an inmate of the infirmary for more than twelve years and recently was reprimanded. Since that time he has been sulky. When the discovery of the dynamite was made Echerman disappeared and no trace of him can be found. It is known that he has a dynamite bomb with him.

BLOCKADE ABANDONED.

Dispatches Received from Commander McCrea at Cape Haytien.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The Navy Department received two cablegrams from Commander McCrea of the gunboat Machias, dated Cape Haytien, August 12th, in which he reports that the attempted blockade of the port by the revolutionists is ineffective. In the first dispatch he said: "Have decided blockade spasmodic, therefore ineffective. Have notified Consuls. Will protect innocent, neutral commerce."

In the second dispatch, which came later, he said: "Consider blockade abandoned, American schooner reporting blockader absent."

STAGE COACH ROBBED.

The Driver Shot and Killed—Robbers Secured $4,000 and Escaped.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TUCSON, ARIZ., Aug. 12.—*El Corro de Sonora* brings an accouut of a daring hold up near Mazatalan, Mex., by three masked men, supposed to have been outlaws. The robbers secured $4,000 and made good their escape with plunder. Mariano Gordillo, the driver, was shot dead. The stage was full, but the passengers were unmolested. A shipment of $4,000 to a bank at Mazatalan was the booty the robbers were after and when they secured this they allowed the stage to proceed.

Fire at Memphis, Tenn., destroyed the plant of the Armour Packing Company. Loss about $115,000, said to be uninsured.

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EXTRA SESSION OF THE SENATE.

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SOON AFTER THE ELECTIONS.

To Ratify a Reciprocity Treaty With the Republic of Cuba—President Hopes to Have Matter Cleared Away Before Regular Session.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Advices received here indicate that President Roosevelt will call the Senate in extraordinary session early in November.

Ever since it became evident that nothing would be accomplished as to reciprocity with Cuba at the recent session of Congress rumors of a more or less definite nature have been in circulation that the President would call an extra session, either of the entire Congress to enact Cuban reciprocity legislation or of the Senate to ratify if possible a reciprocal treaty with Cuba. During the past week it has been stated that it was the purpose of President Roosevelt to call a special session of the Senate as early as September. It can be stated by authority that he has no such intention. His time and that of many members of the Senate of both political parties will be completely occupied during September and October. It is understood to be the belief of the President that a session of the Senate held for the purpose of ratifying a reciprocity treaty with Cuba would be much more likely to be fruitful of results if it is held after the November elections than if it was held before. It is assumed that the question of the relations of the United States will enter largely into the approaching campaign, and it is stated that the President feels the Democrats will be less likely to offer serious opposition to a reciprocity treaty after the elections than they would before that time. A treaty with Cuba practically has been prepared. It requires only the finishing touches and the signatures of Minister Quesada and Secretary of State Hay to make it ready for presentation to the Senate.

No definite date, it is understood, has been fixed upon for the meeting of the session in November, but that it will be soon after the elections is reasonably certain. The President, it is said, hopes to have the reciprocity question cleared away entirely before the regular session of Congress.

COTTON AND CORN CROPS.

Weather Bureau Reports Conditions Generally Favorable--Early Cotton Opening Rapidly—Picking in Order.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, August 12.—The following is the Weather Bureau's weekly summary of crop conditions:

Portions of Virginia, the Carolinas, Georgia, Tennessee, Northern Alabama, Southeastern Missouri and the lower Ohio Valley continue to need rain, and drought conditions have developed to some extent in portions of Nebraska, South Dakota and Northern Wisconsin.

The corn crop has experienced another very favorable week, and the general outlook in the principal States was very promising.

With a general absence of rain in Texas and scattered showers in the central portions of the middle and eastern districts, the progress of the cotton crop as a whole has been favorable. Complaints of rust and shedding, however, are quite generally indicated and some premature opening is reported from portions of Georgia and South Carolina. Early cotton is opening rapidly and picking is progressing in Texas and in the eastern districts under favorable conditions. Uninterrupted sunshine and high temperatures have checked the ravages of the boll worms and weevil in Texas, but these pests continue to cause considerable damage, and in the inundated sections in that State the crop has been severely damaged and in many sections ruined.

STRIKING MINERS ARRESTED.

Charged With Intimidating Non-Union Workmen and Rioting.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WILKESBARRE, PA., Aug. 12.—Five strikers, all members of the Woodward local, United Mine Workers, of Edwardsville, were arraigned before Magistrate Pollock of this city this evening charged with intimidating non-union workmen and rioting. The prosecution alleged that the defendants stopped a number of men of their way to work at the Woodward colliery and by threats and force compelled them to return to their homes. The commonwealth wanted the secretary of the local, James Owens, to produce the minutes of the July meeting of the local, where it is alleged a motion was made that the members do picket duty at the mines and persuade the men who would attempt to go to work to return to their homes. Upon advice of counsel the secretary refused to produce the minutes and the magistrate held him in $100 bail for trial at court for contempt. The other defendants were held in $500 bail each on the charge of unlawful assemblage and rioting. Bail was furnished.

PLUNGED THROUGH DRAWBRIDGE

Eight Cars, One Loaded With Dynamite, Piled on Top of the Locomotive.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Aug. 15.—A freight train on the Long Branch division of the Central of New Jersey plunged through an open drawbridge into the Elizabeth river to-day. Eight cars are piled on top of the locomotive which lies on the bottom of the river. Two men lost their lives. They were Patrick Mansfield, of Plainfield, brakeman, and Fireman Webster, of Bayonne.

Engineer Robert Beany, of Elizabethport, jumped from his cab, breaking his leg and sustaining internal injuries.

The train consisted of an engine and twenty freight cars. The second car is said to be loaded with dynamite. Eight cars, including the one loaded with dynamite, piled on top of the engine, which lies in the mud twenty feet under the surface. The danger signals were set against the train but Engineer Beany says the brakes would not work and he was unable to stop. The road was completely blocked.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says: Prince O'Bolenski, governor of Kharkov, was fired at four times last night. One bullet struck the prince in the neck, making a slight wound. The culprit was arrested.

GRAND LODGE OF ELKS IN ANNUAL REUNION.

Every State in the Union Represented in the Gathering at Salt Lake City Officers Elected—Addresses

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SALT LAKE, UTAH, Aug. 12.—G. F. Cronk, of Omaha, was elected grand exalted ruler of the Grand Lodge of Elks; W. B. Brock, of Lexington, Ky., was elected grand leading knight and Judge J. C. Pickens, of Denver, was elected grand loyal knight by acclamation.

Eight thousand Elks from every State in the Union gathered in the great tabernacle of the Mormon Church to-day to attend the formal opening of the annual reunion of the Grand Lodge of Elks.

Preceding the opening meeting was the service and military parade which marked the formal opening of the three days' reunion. In this were included a battalion of infantry and two batteries of artillery from Fort Douglass, and a troop of cavalry and battery A, light artillery, National Guard of Utah. Then came uniformed members of all Utah lodges of Elks and dozens of other civic, military and fraternal organizations in uniform, accompanied by a score of bands and many picturesque floats.

The exercises at the auditorium were brief, though impressive. After prayer and a selection on the great organ, Grand Exalted Ruler Pickett, of Waterloo, Iowa, delivered his annual address, which was largely eulogistic of the aims and work of the Elks. He said:

"The portals of Elkdom are thrown wide to all manly applicants. It draws no distinctions, in the republicanism of our government and democracy of our ideas, all are equal. Our order is constructive and not destructive. The spirit of iconoclasm dwells within its circle. It molests no temple, desecrates no altar, no profanes no sanctuary. It robs no man of his faith attacks no creed, criticises no sect. It shadows no dawn, darkens hope, saddens no love. It does not seek to supplant the church or usurp its functions. Its religion is humanity. Its creed is friendship; its golden rule the love of fellow men."

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Biennial Convention Formally Opened in San Francisco--Address of Welcome.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 12.—The biennial convention of the Knights of Pythias was formally opened to-day in the Palace Hotel. Nearly 150 delegates were present. There were few vacant seats and these will be filled tomorrow. The absent supreme representatives have all telegraphed that they will all be here as soon as the delayed specials shall be able to move.

Supreme Representative Walker C. Graves, of California, in behalf of the executive committee, welcomed the visitors. Governor Henry T. Gage sent his regrets at not being able to attend in person and sent a message of welcome, which was read by Myron Wolfe.

Supreme Chancellor Fethers responded to the welcome of the Governor. The Supreme Lodge then went into secret session.

The committee on credentials reported the delegates all entitled to their seats. At the afternoon session reports were read. Supreme Chancellor Fethers, in his annual report, said that on December 31, 1901, the order had 540,138 members.

The delegates and visitors were entertained to-night at Mechanic's Pavilion, where the battle of Gettysburg was reproduced. Competitive drills and dancing were also features of the evening.

Imperial Prince Clark arrived from Detroit to-day and called to order the Knights of Khorassan at Pythian Castle. A brief session was held.

The report of the Endowment Rank will show a reduction of the indebtedness from $500,000 to $350,000. The contested claims have been cut from 50 to 10. The receipts of the rank now aggregate $2,700,000 per year.

THE CHICAGO MURDERS.

Police Trying to Solve Mystery Surrounding the Killing of Minnie Mitchell and Mrs. Bartholin.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Police officials have been in consultation again to-day trying to formulate new theories which may tend to solve the mystery surrounding the murders of Minnie Mitchell and Mrs. Ann Bartholin. Spurred on by offers of reward for the arrest of William J. Bartholin, the son of the murdered woman and the fiance of the other, the police of the neighboring towns made several arrests to day, but in each case the prisoner's identity with that of the suspected murderer could not be proved. Working on hypothesis that the murderer had a mania for killing, officers to-day began systematically to dig up every inch of the basement in the Bartholin house in Calumet avenue. The cement floor is being broken up and turned over to the depth of a foot. Curious crowds throng the neighborhood of the now notorious death house, and officers have been compelled to keep everybody off the premises save those who have written permission from the coroner.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Aug. 11, '02.

MR. EDITOR:—We are surprised to learn that any one has paid attention to the statements of Mr. Bellamy's agents, J. B. Broadfoot and D. B. Gillis, published in some of the papers. No one here, for sufficient reasons, has paid any attention to them. The statements of Broadfoot about the minority votes in Cumberland have been proved to be utterly untrue; and, as to Gillis, Major Hale says that he never saw him in the war after the short service of the First Regiment. Both he and Broadfoot are said to affiliate with a political element here which favors Pritchard's return to the Senate. The solid vote of Cumberland will be cast for Major Hale as long as he wants it. The convention here so instructed by resolutions. He has the selection of the delegates by resolution also of the county convention. We understand that Mr. Bellamy has applied to the chairman of the county convention to appoint J. B Broadfoot, Gillis and others as delegates from the misrepresented precincts, but the chairman has politely declined to do that unlawful act.

The last remaining proof of the unlawful methods employed by Mr. Bellamy's agents here comes in the shape of the admission in writing made by J. W. MacLaughlin (who cast the vote of Quewhiffle, to every one's surprise, against Maj. Hale) that he acted without authority.

† N. A. SINCLAIR.

The Navy Department has accepted the torpedo destroyer Dale, which was turned over to the naval authorities at Norfolk, Va.

TERRIBLE BATTLE IN VENEZUELA.

Revolutionists After Three Days Fighting Captured the Town of Barcelona.

ALL THE HOUSES SACKED.

Women and Children Maltreated and Killed—Consulates Pillaged--Among Prisoners Was the Commander of Government Troops.

By Cable to the Morning Star

PORT-OF-SPAIN, ISLAND OF TRINIDAD, Aug. 12.—Details of the fighting at Barcelona, Venezuela, received here by boat, show that a terrible battle started on Sunday, August 3d, and that on the following Wednesday the revolutionists entered the city. They kept up a continuous firing, day and night, destroying houses one by one to reach the center of the city. At midnight on Thursday two-thirds of the city was in the power of the revolutionists.

On Friday the government strongholds were carried and the last survivors of the government officers tried to escape by the river to the sea, but failing in this they made one more stand, after which at noon, Friday, they surrendered to the revolutionist commanders, Generals Francisco, Monagas and Platero. Among those taken prisoners are Martin Marcano, president of the State of Barcelona and commander of the government troops, eight generals and twenty-three colonels. The dead on both sides numbered 167. All houses in the city were sacked, and in some instances inoffensive women and children were maltreated and killed. Stores were pillaged, especially those belonging to foreigners. The French cable office was robbed and the American, Italian and Dutch consulates were pillaged. The consuls have asked for men-of-war to protect life and property.

Warships Ordered to Barcelona.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Minister Bowen has cabled the State Department from Caracas that our consul at Barcelona has informed him by wire that Barcelona had been taken by the revolutionists; that they are sacking the town and that in his judgment the protection of a vessel should be immediately afforded him. Mr. Bowen says he has cabled the Cincinnati to return without delay. He notes that the Topeka is at Porto Cabello, and instructions were sent drecting either the Topeka or the Cincinnati to proceed to Barcelona. This leaves it discretionary with Captain McLean, of the Cincinnati, the senior officer present, to send the Topeka or go himself with the Cincinnati. The vessel which remains will be prepared to land blue jackets at Port Cabello in case of necessity.

Reported German Landing.

BERLIN, August 12.—At the Foreign Office it was said that the German government knew nothing of the reported intention to land German marines at Porto Cabello, Venezuela, and that if the United States had sent a vessel to land marines there it must be for other reasons than the reported German landing. Commanders of German war vessels in the Caribbean, it was added, would not go beyond their discretion, if they considered it necessary to land a force to protect German interests.

SHIPBUILDING COMBINE.

The Merger Completed and the Business Organization Will Begin at Once. No English Plants Taken In.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, August 12.—The Trust Company of the Republic to-day completed the payments for all the shipbuilding plants held under the options of the United States Shipbuilding Company, including the Bethlehem Steel Company, Union Iron Works, San Francisco; Bath Iron Works and Hyde Windlass Company, Bath, Me.; Eastern Shipbuilding Company, New London, Conn.; Harlan and Hollingsworth Company, Wilmington, Del.; Crescent Shipyards, Elizabeth, N. J.; Samuel J. Moore and Son Company, Elizabeth, N. J., and the Canda Manufacturing Company, Carteret, N. J.

This consummates the transaction and the business organization will begin at once by concentrating in different yards, different types of vessels and introducing economics which are expected to result in enormous profits over those of the independent companies before they were brought together.

Daniel Leroy Dresser, president of the Trust Company of the Republic, says: "There have been no negotiations whatever between Vickers, Maxim & Co., and the United States Shipbuilding company."

Mr. Nixon was asked as to the report that the new company had acquired the Vickers, Maxim & Vickery plants in England. He said:

"Our desire is to put American shipbuilding establishments upon a basis that we can build foreign ships here. No steps looking to taking in English plants have been taken."

SCHOOL TEACHERS MURDERED.

A Coaching Party of Four Ambushed and Killed by Filipinos.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANILA, August 12.—An investigation made by the constabulary to clear up the facts in the killing of a Cebu coaching party of four school teachers shows that the party was ambushed twelve miles from Cebu. Two teachers were shot and killed at the first volley, a third, who ran, was shot in the back, and a fourth, who was captured, was shot in the chest while he was praying for mercy. It is suspected that the fourth man was buried alive, as his wound was slight and probably would not have caused death. Dogs dug up two of the bodies and devoured the flesh. It is believed that sufficient evidence has been secured to convict all the participants in the crime.

BASEBALL.

Scores of Games Played Yesterday by the League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland, 6; Baltimore, 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, 3; Cincinnati, 2.
Brooklyn, 5; Chicago, 4.
Philadelphia, 9; St. Louis 12.
Boston, 11; Pittsburg, 0.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Nashville, 9; Birmingham, 1.
Shreveport, 10; New Orleans, 4.
Second game: Shreveport, 3; New Orleans, 8.
Atlanta, 9; Chattanooga, 10. Second game: Atlanta, 1; Chattanooga, 1—tie.
Little Rock, 0; Memphis, 7.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice, Aug. 12th, 1902.

WOMEN'S LIST.

Annie Jane Bailin, Mrs. Thos. S. Bowle, Lucy A. Boykir, Mrs. James Brown, Mrs. Liza Flinch, Josephine Farrow, Jane Graves, Mittie Grifant, Nancy Guire, Mary L. Hall, E. Highsmith Mrs. Sam'l Hinkson, Alice Johnson, Carrie McKoy, Mary McDonald, Mary Mace, Lidia Morgae, Mary Miller, Martha Newkirk, Mary Nicholson, Maggie Pipton, Mary Lizer Rone, Ratchel Sarten, Jno. B. Smith, Rosa Stephens, Sherman F. Stapler, C H. Wimberly, Minnie Walker, Lansia Garrison

MEN'S LIST.

Willie Berry, B. F. Britt, Walker Brant W. J. Carry, John Colling, Harfield Crandale, J. H. Davis, Edward Dryton, Dr. W. T. Emmett, J. W. Fairson, Garfield Ford, George Grice, Chas. Hamer, Jas. E. Herring, J. S. Horton, M. J. Jackson, E. D. James, Wm. T. Karl, Edgar King, E V. Mackson, Edward McCollum, W. D. McRae, J. W. Moore, Jas. Murphy, N. J. Mesharo, W. T. Moor, Wm. McMillan, A. D. Moore, John Nally, T. Newvelt, C. P. Newsom.

FOREIGN.

Neil Paw, Z C. Rivenbank, Haley Sechony, J. B. Sholar, G. A. Swann, Osker Small, G. E Thomas, Thone Lee Ward, Mack Williams, Wiley Harkey & Co., Johnny Williams, G. A. Stauffacher.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office.

M. C. DARBY, Postmaster.

ENVOY FROM THE POPE.

Bishop O'Gorman Brings a Letter and a Present for President Roosevelt.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Among the passengers who arrived to-day per steamer Hohenzollern, from Naples, was the Right Rev. Thomas O'Gorman. Bishop O'Gorman said that he brought a letter from Cardinal Rampolla to Secretary Hay, also a present and a letter from the supreme pontiff to President Roosevelt. The Bishop said:

"I shall probably go to Oyster Bay to see the President first, and then to Washington to see Mr. Hay. The Pope was in remarkable health and spirits when I saw him last. Up to the time of my departure from Rome the question of the appointment of a successor to the late Archbishop Corrigan had not come up for consideration, but it was the concensus of opinion that Bishop Farley would be selected."

WARM WIRELETS

The horses in training owned by Clarence H. Mackay were sold at Saratoga, N. Y., yesterday. Ten were sold for a total of $61,400.

At Lone Elm, thirty-five miles east of Fort Smith, Ark., Manz Huggins, assistant postmaster, shot and killed his wife while in a jealous rage, and committed suicide. They leave five children.

The new North German Lloyd steamship Kaiser Wilhelm II. was successfully launched at Stettin yesterday in the presence of Emperor William. The Kaiser Wilhelm II. will be the largest and is designed to be the fastest ship in the world.

The district committee of United Mine Workers of America has made its demands as to a wage scale for the year beginning October 1st. The demands are for a 20 per cent. advance in all wages to be paid for an eight-hour day instead of nine hours, as at present, and for two pay days per month.

The Italian steamer Citta Di Milano, from New York July 23d, which arrived at Genoa August 9th, reports that an anarchist named Shanza, of New York, committed suicide by jumping overboard while the vessel was off Gibraltar. It is alleged that Shanza had been commissioned to murder an European royal personage and that he was on the way to Europe for this purpose, but weakened at the last moment and killed himself.

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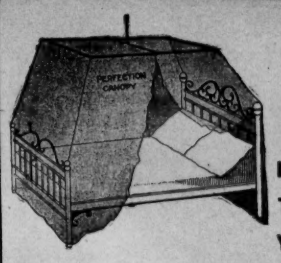
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